Education Committee Hartford, Connecticut

Re: Bill 457 and Bill 738

To whom it may concern,

I am writing today to firmly stand against and protest the decision to regionalize our Connecticut schools.

This regionalization effort may come from good intentions but it is certainly not viable or good for our schools and students the way it is currently proposed.

I live in Woodbridge and for Middle and High school we are already annexed with the towns of Bethany and Orange.

Breaking apart this school district and bringing Woodbridge together with Derby, Ansonia and Seymour just does not make sense for us.

Additionally these 4 towns are really spread apart far and the school bus route would just be much too long for the children and too costly as well.

I would like to respectfully urge you to please reconsider this regionalization project and not implement it with the currently proposed school annexations.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Regards, Isabelle Tappan a Woodbridge CT resident